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Sahuarita Requests Applications for Emergency Housing and Shelter Services Fiscal Year 2015-2016

SAHUARITA, Ariz.—The Town of Sahuarita, announces a request for qualifications and proposal for human services funding for fiscal year 2015-2016. The town has authorized \$50,000 for emergency housing and shelter services. This request will allow the town to select an organization that the town believes will provide the best emergency housing and shelter services for the available funding.

A link to the application can be found on the front page of the town website: www.sahuaritaaz.gov. Applicants should read the entire packet carefully before submitting. Proposals are due no later than 12 p.m. on Monday, July 20. Proposals must be emailed to tbankhead@sahuaritaaz.gov with one original and attachments mailed or hand-delivered to:

Town of Sahuarita Attention: Teri Bankhead Town Manager's Office 375 W. Sahuarita Center Way Sahuarita, AZ 85629

After reviewing the materials submitted pursuant to this request, the town may invite the most qualified applicant(s) to interview with members of the Human Services Committee. The committee will select an applicant based upon the request material and interview results, if any, to recommend to the town council for funding. The town reserves the right to:

- 1. Make an award that is most advantageous to the town based upon service, materials or other evaluation factors as set forth herein.
- 2. Reject all proposals.

The selected organization will be required to execute the town's standard contract for human services. A form of this contract is included with the request for proposals found on the town website.

For more information regarding this RFQ, contact Teri Bankhead, Town of Sahuarita, 520-344-7110, or tbankhead@sahuaritaaz.gov.

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The Town of Sahuarita, with a \$63.3 million annual budget, is one of Arizona's fastest-growing communities. Incorporated in 1994, Sahuarita's 27,600 citizens enjoy a small town atmosphere, a business-friendly community, outstanding recreational amenities, easy access to Mexico and Tucson, and a rich history with multi-cultural roots. The Town's leadership has a clear vision of the future that includes enhancing community, nurturing economic development, and promoting collaborations of all types. Ten departments and 135 employees deliver a wide array of core services and amenities.





